



## COUNCILMEMBER CARL DeMAIO

FIFTH DISTRICT  
CITY OF SAN DIEGO

### MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 17, 2009

TO: Council President Ben Hueso

FROM: Councilmember Carl DeMaio

RE: Medical Marijuana Task Force

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I would like to nominate Craig Balben to serve on the Medical Marijuana Task Force.

While I did not support the formation of a Task Force and remain opposed to the creation of one without counsel from the San Diego Police Department, I recognize the importance of including representation from community planning groups. Mr. Balben is Chair of the Sabre Spring Planning Group and has expressed interest in serving on the Task Force.

I appreciate City Council's consideration of Mr. Balben. If there are any questions please contact John Ly in my office.

cc: Honorable City Councilmembers